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# IMPLEMENTATION OF EMBEDDED STREAMING FOR LARGE VIDEO APPLICATIONS USING OBJECT-RELATIONAL DATABASE AND PHP

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## ABSTRACT

There has been much interest in databases that store multimedia data, which comprises of static media, like text and images, and dynamic or continuous media, like audio and video. Conventional database systems are designed for managing textual and numerical data. Storing and retrieving such data is often based on simple comparisons of text or numerical values. However, this method of storing and retrieval is not adequate for the multimedia data, since the digitized representation of these data types does not convey the reality of these media items. The conventional method is to store the large multimedia data in a file server and store the associated metadata in a database. The retrieval is done by downloading the files from one computer to the user's computer before playing it. The large size of these files results in long download times. This paper proposes an alternative method of storing multimedia data along with its associated metadata in an object-relational database as it offers several advantages over file storage system. The proposed method offers faster retrieval time, secured backup, and concurrent login. This paper shows how database systems can be architected to support multimedia data making use of object-relational database system such as PostgreSQL. The main challenge is delivering data over the web using real-time video streaming. The results show that there is a significant change in retrieval rate and web access time, when data is stored in a single database instead of a file server. The application of multimedia database thus created can be used in different application domains such as digital libraries, training and education, medical databases containing X-rays, etc.

## INTRODUCTION

During the past three decades, the database technology for information systems has undergone many changes. The transition from one generation to the next has always been necessitated by the ever-increasing complexity of database applications. There has been much interest in databases that store multimedia data, such as images, audio, and video. Multimedia data have certain attributes that complicate their storage in conventional databases [3]. First, it tends to be very voluminous and second, the continuous media data, such as audio and video has timing characteristics associated with it and often has descriptive attributes, such as when it was created, who created it, and to what category does it belong. When the number of multimedia objects is relatively small, features provided by databases are usually not that important but database functionality becomes very important when the number of multimedia objects stored is large [2]. Examples of

dynamic applications include digital libraries, training and education, medical data containing X-rays, police documents in the database that may contain fingerprints etc. To support modern applications that use multimedia data, it is quite clear that there is need for database functionality to support multimedia data effectively and then share it over the web.

## NEED ANALYSIS

Consider a multimedia database with built in multimedia seminar presentation. This presentation may be about a historical event. If multimedia information is added to this tutorial, not only will the students be able to understand the contents better, there will be less need for textual description from the instructor. Direct lectures in the form of movie clips can be integrated with the conventional data. Thus, the presentation may include the history of the lecture, when it was conducted and if there is reference material concerning the lecture, etc.

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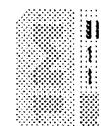
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